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Applicants	Ronny Knepple, et al.
Serial No. 09/403,072	Filing Date: October 13, 1999
Title of Application:	Method For Labelling Sample Containers
Group Art Unit:	Examiner P E vo

BOX FEE AMENDMENT Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Response Transmittal and Petition For Time Extension (37 CFR 1.136[A])

Dear Sir:

- This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of One Month to respond to 1. the Notification of Missing Requirement mailed on December 8, 1999.
- A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed 2. herewith.
- Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17). \$110.00 Extension Fee is due with this 3. request.
- Fee Payment. Attached is a check in the sum of \$110.00. This is also a petition and a 4. request to charge to Account No. 19-4516 for any additional extension and/or fee as may be required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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